Brings an Enactment to Conserve Heritage in Old Delhi

833. SHRI B. J. PANDA :
MISS MABEL REBELLO :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether MCD propose to bring in an enactment to conserve heritage in the Delhi old city area; if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the job of restoration of the lost glory of the walled city has been entrusted to some private agency, if so, the name of the agency and the detailed nature of work so entrusted; and

(c) whether the proposed enactment is confined to monuments in MCD area only or it would also cover the others in NDMC localities?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHENNAMANENI VIDYA SAGAR RAO) : (a) The Municipal Corporation of Delhi proposes to amend the existing building bye-laws by inserting a new chapter on conservation of heritage buildings/precincts.

(b) No, Sir

(c) The proposed modification in the building bye-laws shall be applicable only in the area falling under the jurisdiction of the Municipal Corporation of Delhi. The New Delhi Municipal Council, on the other hand, proposes to set up a committee to oversee the heritage buildings in the area under its jurisdiction.

Killing of Dalits at Jhajjar in Haryana

834. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN:
SHRI J. CHITHARANJAN:
SHRI GAYA SINGH :
SHRI A. VIJAYA RAGHAVAN :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of the incident relating to lynching of five Dalits in the Jhajjar area of Haryana; and

(b) what steps have been taken by Central Government to prevent recurrence of such incidents and to ensure safety amongst Dalits of the area besides punishing the guilty ones?